

## Oriental Lace Edgings

Oriental Lace Edgings for collars, vests, etc., in white and ecru—a big variety of designs, prices 15c to \$1.00 a yard.

## Lace Collars 25c

Wired Lace Collars in white and ecru, a large assortment of patterns—regular 50c value at 25c each.

## The Porteous &amp; Mitchell Co.

## Baby Dresses \$1.39

Semi-ready Baby Dresses, sizes 1 to 6 years, hand-embroidered, small designs—regular \$2.00 value at \$1.39. (Lace Department.)

## Bureau Scarfs 59c

Cretonne Pillow Slips and Bureau Scarfs, lace trimmed, a big variety—regular 75c and \$1.00 values at 59c. (Art Department.)

## Your Needs For Autumn Can Best Be Satisfied Here

OUR WONDERFULLY VARIED AND COMPLETE STOCKS ARE IN AMPLE ASSORTMENTS TO PLEASE EVERYONE

## MILLINERY

Our Showing is Now at Its Best

Our Millinery Department has no equal in the city when it comes to style, variety, quality and price. We show Hats for Women, Misses and Children—untrimmed, semi-trimmed and trimmed—Dress Hats and Street Wear Hats. We show Trimmed Hats from 98c to \$20.00 but we especially feature Women's Dress Hats at the following prices:

## Hats at \$2.98

At \$2.98 we show a variety of Women's Dress Hats in a variety of exclusive models—equal to Hats sold elsewhere at \$3.50.

## Hats at \$3.98

We show the best \$3.98 Hats to be had. Many of these from our Fine Dress Hats at this price—every Hat different—good \$5.00 value at \$3.98.

## Hats at \$5.00

We show the best \$5 Hats that can be made. Many of these from our Fine Dress Hats at this price—every Hat different—good \$7.50 value at \$5.00.

Special showing this week of Children's and Misses' Hats, trimmed and untrimmed for school or dress wear for children and misses of all ages.

Special offering of Women's Black Velvet Untrimmed Hats, eight of the leading shapes of the season, all at 98c each, would be good value at \$1.50.

## SILK GIRDLES—Two Special Lots

Silk Girdles, in eight different styles, in a full line of sizes and fashionable colorings, our regular 50c Girdles—Special price today 39c.

Silk Girdles in all the newest styles and most fashionable colorings—including the wide basque model, regular \$1.00 Girdles—Special price today 89c.

## 80c Toilet Value 39c

By special arrangement with the manufacturer we are enabled for a limited time only to make this exceptional offering—Three 10c cakes of Palmolive Soap ..... 30c Bottle of Palmolive Shampoo, value ..... 50c Total value ..... 80c We offer the three cakes of Soap and bottle of Shampoo, the whole complete at 39c.

## Initialed Hand Bags \$1.09

Leather Hand Bags, genuine morocco leather, silk or leather lined, crepe and plain styles, nickled frames, panier handles, purse and mirror inside, a large variety of shapes—with your initial at \$1.09.

## THE PORTEOUS &amp; MITCHELL CO.

## A COMPLETE SHOWING OF MEN'S AND YOUTHS'

## Suits and Overcoats

BETTER QUALITIES AND LOWER PRICES THAN ELSEWHERE

## Men's and Fall Suits

Our Fall showing of Men's and Young Men's Suits are from the foremost makers in the country. We guarantee the wear and workmanship to be the very best possible in each grade—Price range \$16.00 to \$30.00.

## Men's and Top Coats

Men's and Young Men's Fall Top Coats, black and Oxford, silk-lined and silk-faced to edge. Every garment is thoroughly well-tailored and substantially lined—Price range \$12.50 to \$22.00.

## Made to Measure Men's Suits

Men who desire something distinctive should look over our showing of fabrics from the well-known "Royal Tailors." Suits built to your individual measure from guaranteed wool fabrics and at moderate prices.

## Special Offering of Men's Furnishings for Today

## Men's \$1.00 Underwear at 89c

Men's Medium Weight Ribbed Union Suits, a good weight for fall and winter wear, regular \$1.00 Suits at 89c.

## Men's \$1.50 Union Suits \$1.29

Men's Medium Weight Union Suits, a mixture of cotton and wool, in gray only, regular \$1.50 Suits at \$1.29.

## 50c Shirts at 42c

Men's Negligee Shirts in light colors, with patterned, laundered cuffs and with soft French cuffs, sizes 14 to 17—our entire stock of 50c Negligee Shirts at 42c.

## Men's Neckwear 29c

Men's New Fall Neckwear in a splendid assortment of colors, both knitted and woven effects—regular 50c Neckwear at 29c each, 3 for \$85c.

## Men's Hosiery at 12 1/2c

Men's Fine Cotton Hosiery, in black, navy and gray, a quality that sells regularly at 15c a pair—at 12 1/2c or 75c for a box of six pairs.

## WOMEN'S AND MISSES' APPAREL Coats, Suits and Dresses

Women's and Misses' Winter Coats in the newest styles, rich mixtures, Bayaden cloth, Ziberline and Collette Coats—price range is \$5.98, \$7.50, \$9.98, \$12.50 and up to \$25.00.

Women's Tailored Suits, both Redingotes and Short Coat models, our splendid value Suits at \$12.50, \$15.00, \$17.50 and up to \$40.00.

All our Coats are exceptionally good value and you have the advantage of a large stock to select from.

We have a number of "Sample" Suits, regular \$35.00 Suits selling at \$25.00. Only one suit of a kind. A chance to be exclusive.

## WOMEN'S SEPARATE DRESS SKIRTS AND DRESSES

## Women's Dress Skirts at \$5.50

Several smart models in Women's Dress Skirts, made of excellent materials in black, navy, brown, plaids and mixtures.

## Women's Serge Dresses at \$6.50

We show a splendid line of attractive and practical Serge Dresses for fall and winter wear—excellent value at \$6.50.

## Women's Silk Dresses at \$12.95

Women's Silk Dresses in stylish models, material is splendid quality—Satin-de-chine—regular \$15.00 value at \$12.95.

## VISIT OUR CHILDREN'S DEPARTMENT ON SECOND FLOOR

## Children's Wash Dresses at 98c

At this price we show a very complete line and the best value obtainable at the price. Mothers should examine our Children's Dresses at 98c—principally plaid gingham and chambray.

## Children's Knit Goods

Mothers should inspect our showing of Knit Goods for Children—the largest assortment in the city—Infants' Sacques, Bodys, Hoodies, Sweaters, Mittens, Leggings, Slippers, Carriage Robes, Etc. Many of them are hand-made.

## HOSIERY Women's and Children's

SPECIAL VALUES FOR TODAY

## Infants' Hosiery 12 1/2c

Infants' Ribbed Cashmere Hosiery, black and white, sizes 4 1/2 to 6 1/2—Special value 12 1/2c a pair.

## Children's Hosiery 19c

Children's Brilliant Lisle Fast Black Hosiery, sizes 6 to 9 1/2—regular 25c value at 19c a pair.

## Women's Hosiery 11c

Women's Hosiery, black with ribbed top and black with split feet—12 1/2c and 15c values at 11c a pair.

## Burson Hosiery 19c

Women's Burson Lisle Hosiery, second quality of 35c and 50c grades—Special price 19c a pair.

## 25c Hosiery at 15c

Women's Fast Black and Imported Split Foot Hosiery, these are regular 19c and 25c values at 15c a pair.

## Silk Hosiery 22c

Women's Silk Boot Hosiery in black only—regular 25c value at 22c a pair.

## ROMAN STRIPE RIBBONS FOR GIRDLES

We show a splendid assortment of the popular Roman Stripes Ribbons, in color blendings that are new, novel and beautiful—price range 39c to 89c a yard. Also complete assortment of Hair Ribbons in all widths and colorings.

## Fall Gloves, All Kinds for Women and Children

Our Fall showing of Gloves—Women's, Misses' and Children's is now complete. We invite inspection of our line. No matter what kind of Glove you want we have it and at right price.

## BOYS' WEAR—Special Values for Today

Boys' Hats, newest fall styles, special values at 49c, 95c and \$1.49.

Boys' Blouses, light and dark effects, sizes 8 to 16 years, regular 25c value at ..... 21c

Boys' Knickerbocker Trousers, neat mixtures and corduroys, sizes 8 to 17, regular \$1.25 value at ..... 85c

## Boys' \$3.00 Suits \$2.49

Boys' Norfolk Suits, in navy serge and handsome mixtures, sizes 8 to 16 years—Special price \$2.49, value \$3.00.

## Boys' \$8.00 Suits \$6.49

Boys' Norfolk Suits, stylish mixtures and navy serge, sizes 8 to 17—Special price \$6.49, value \$8.00.

## THE PORTEOUS &amp; MITCHELL CO.

## SIX CHURCHES IN CONFERENCE

Gathering of Congregationalists at Preston City—Rev. F. S. Child Speaks Upon the Supremacy of the Home—General Secretary Hill Upon Heeding the Call of Christ to the World Today.

The conference of the six Congregational churches was held at the Preston City Congregational church Wednesday of this week. There were eight in attendance from the Jewett City church, six and the pastor from Hanover, 13 and the pastor from Griswold, from Lisbon 12 and the pastor from Preston City 61 and the pastor. The church was beautifully trimmed with autumn leaves and potted plants; the day was perfect. The service opened with an anthem, Lead Kindly Light, followed by a solo and by a prayer by the pastor, J. Kellogg Hall, sang a solo. Come With Me, which was well received.

## Supremacy of the Home.

After a hymn the sermon was preached by the Rev. F. S. Child of Griswold. His subject was "The Supremacy of the Home." He took three texts, 2, XI 14; 10; Prov. 31; 27-28; John 19: 26-27.

The word of God has a great deal to say about the home and it is worthy while studying for all are interested in home making. Home is a divine precept, founded by God as a nursery for earth and is expected a home may be a hum' cottage or a luxurious mansion but unless it is the abode of love it is unworthy the name. The home must be a place where the father and mother are united in love and which reflects prayer is a home which brings God, is a home of gratitude and will come to shame. It is too shallow for a home of true happiness, but the kind of a home which breeds divorce, impurity and lawlessness. The inharmonious of a home mars many a happy life. A happy home is where God is given his rightful place. The Roman, he who mother or wife, is the key to the home. Whatever the wife expects and exacts of her husband the wife should also render to him and he in turn should show deference to the home. Neither do I condemn them, go and sin no more. There are those who want sympathy.

Hear Him as he teaches the lesson of humility when he washes the disciples' feet.

Hear Him as he teaches the lesson that no soul can get beyond His love: "For God so loved the world that He gave his only begotten Son that whosoever believeth in Him should not perish, but have eternal life."

We need to listen to His voice. We don't listen to Him in the home life as we might. Every Christian is sent from God as truly as John the Baptist, or John R. Mort. There is some purpose in the world for each. The greatest privilege is to introduce a lost one to Him. God is speaking to us and we should be ready at any time to follow Him.

The hymn, I Hear Thy Welcome Voice, was sung and this most pleas-

ant conference closed by the benediction by the pastor, Rev. Luther Kennerston.

SHORT CALENDAR MATTERS BEFORE SUPERIOR COURT.

Much Business on Motion List—Tinker vs. City of New London Next, Wednesday.

At the short calendar session of the superior court in New London Friday morning, at which Judge M. A. Shumway presided, much business was disposed of.

Assignments made for trial were the following:

Tuesday, Oct. 22—Charles Chadwick vs. M. A. Cavanaugh and others.

Wednesday, Oct. 23—Tinker vs. New London, City of, by board of relief of Waterford, Leonard A. Clift vs. LaTham Hull.

On Thursday the case of Shea vs. Gavitt will be argued, as all the evidence is in, and there will be hearings on the accounts of D. M. Cronin, temporary receiver, and M. Van Rensselaer, also a temporary receiver, of the Thames River Specialties company of Montville. The matter of the dissolution of the receivership will be discussed and there will be a hearing on the accounts of the receivers.

Tuesday, Oct. 27—John J. Ryan vs. Frank M. Ladd, G. I. Robinson vs. James O'Neill, G. I. Robinson vs. James O'Neill.

Wednesday, Oct. 28—O. H. Rudd vs. W. Rudd, alias W. M. Chapel, Isabelle S. Harris vs. Ray E. S. Benjamin, Rosanna Garrett vs. Charles R. Bogue.

## Motion List Business.

The following motions were heard and action taken on them:

Answer or other pleadings in two weeks were ordered in Bertha Hautman vs. John H. Ryan, in Joseph Brinski vs. American Strawboard Co., in Arthur Hanna Folsom vs. Louis Paul Dessar, in Louis Wunderlich vs. John H. Thayer and in Henry A. Norton vs. Elizabeth R. Norton.

Three weeks were given for an answer or other pleadings in John H. Flagler vs. Eastern Strawboard Co.

An answer in two weeks was also directed in Gusie Pressman vs. Louis Pressman on motion to place case on uncontested divorce list.

A reply in a week was ordered in Wilfred E. Brown vs. John E. Hart, trustee, on default for failure to plead.

Judge Shumway took the papers after hearing the arguments for the appointment of a permanent receiver in James F. Fenton and others vs. Fenton Building Co.

The demurrer was overruled in James H. Fitch vs. town of Preston, an appeal from the board of relief.

Twelve days notice to cite in new party defendant was given in Hadley vs. Wlodgowski Krupinski and others.

Receiver Charles F. Thayer for the Thames Loan and Trust Co. presented his last semi-annual report, which was approved.

In Louise J. Boss vs. Charles Royce Boss the default was opened and the time for filing pleadings was extended two weeks.

In Gilbert vs. Prentice, executor, and Nathan Fumerant vs. National Fire Insurance Co., the time for pleading was extended one week.

Postponement until Thursday was directed in Mary Fiegelow and others vs. Thames River Specialties Co., on hearings on the account of D. M. Cronin, temporary receiver, and on account of account of M. Van Rensselaer, temporary receiver.

## 69TH BIRTHDAY OF

## THIRD BAPTIST CHURCH

Contributions to Reduce Debt Were Received—Visiting Pastors Bring Congratulations.

The sixty-ninth birthday anniversary of the organization of the Third Baptist church was fittingly observed by the members on Friday evening with an attractive and varied programme of music, readings and brief addresses.

The rainy weather kept away many who would otherwise have attended but in spite of the unfavorable weather conditions there was a good sized gathering at the church and the interesting programme was well carried out.

A unique feature of the celebration was that, incorporated in the invitations sent out by the pastor was the suggestion that each one bring at least 69 cents, one penny for each year of the church's life for a contribution to be used towards the reduction of the church debt of \$400 incurred by necessary repairs on the building. The response was pleasing as over \$87 was received up to Friday evening and there are bright prospects for additional contributions, that is, from those who were kept away by the wet weather.

Seated on the platform with Rev. A. L. Tedford, the pastor, when the programme began, were Rev. A. B. Coates, D. D. of Hartford, Rev. J. B. Burcum, D. D., pastor of the Central Baptist church and Rev. George H. Strouse, pastor of the First Baptist church.

Rev. Tedford presided throughout the evening and the programme was opened at 7:45 o'clock with the singing of the hymn, All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name. Remarks by the pastor followed and there was a vocal solo, In the Heart of the City That Has No Heart, by Stephen E. Peckham, Rev. Mr. Strouse then made a brief address in which he extended hearty congratulations to the members of the church. After a reading by Mrs. W. E. Manning, Rev. Dr. Sloum made a brief address. After the preliminary remarks Dr. Sloum spoke emphatically on Fellowship and Christian Passion. Miss Alice Hayden rendered a solo and another reading by Mrs. Manning followed.

Rev. Dr. Coates made a few remarks in which he spoke of the conditions surrounding the organization of the church and how much the world has progressed since that time. He referred to the present great European strife saying that the war has greatly decreased the immigration into this country. Only women and children are able to come here now and we must take care of them. One of the things that are of interest is to prepare ourselves for the religious strife. Rev. Mr. Tedford thanked all those who took part in the programme and he also thanked those who were present for their interest and for their help in making the celebration a success. After the singing of the hymn, Onward Christian Soldiers, the programme came to a close and all adjourned to the chapel where delicious refreshments of sandwiches, cake and coffee were served to the committee. Mrs. H. I. Peckham chairman, Mrs. Elmer Perkins, Mrs. Larken, Mrs. Robert McNelly, Mrs. John Hill, Mrs. Herbert Baldwin and Mrs. Willis Hill. Misses Clara Hamilton, Helen Larkin, Dorothy McNelly and Grace Kern acted as waitresses. The church was prettily decorated for the occasion, the decorating committee comprising Mrs. Herbert Baldwin, Mrs. Robert McNelly

FOR WEST POINT.

Howard L. Peckham in the List to Take Examinations.

Senator McLean has received thirty-eight applications from boys desiring to take the preliminary competitive examinations for West Point military academy which he has arranged for the civil service commission to hold October 21 at Hartford, Middletown and New Haven. Applicants will be examined at these places with the expectation that those passing with the highest marks would be designated by the senator for the official examination for entry to the academy.

In the list of applicants appear the names of the following Eastern Connecticut boys: William H. Dunham, New London; Howard L. Peckham, Norwich; Russell B. Chappell, Willimantic.

The Canary Islands report large crops of onion seed.

## and Miss Alice Hayden.

Miss Letitia Kramer presided at the organ.

The Third Baptist church was organized in 1845, being at that time a mission of the Central church, through a varied history the church has maintained its faith to fulfill its mission to the community. Largely through the influence and efforts of Rev. P. C. Wright, former pastor of the Central church, an affiliation with the North Main street A. E. church was effected for working purposes, each church, however, retaining its own identity. The union went into effect April 1, 1913.

Rev. A. L. Tedford, the present pastor, was in general charge of the celebration.

## DIVORCES GRANTED ON TWO WIVES' PETITIONS

Both Had Been Deserted—One Lives in Baltic, the Other in New London.

In the superior court at New London on Friday morning, Mrs. Hattie E. Burr of Baltic, whose maiden name was Parkhurst, was given a divorce on the grounds of desertion from Milo E. Burr of Killingly, to whom she was married on Oct. 20, 1883. Attorney John H. Barnes was her counsel in the case. The desertion took place on January 2, 1906. The plaintiff was given the right to resume her maiden name of Parkhurst.

Mrs. Burr testified that she left her husband eight years ago last January since which time she has been supporting herself. She said that she heard from Milo E. Burr in the criminal superior court in Norwich several months ago that he had ruined her young daughter, Olive Parkhurst, and William F. McDonald corroborated Mrs. Burr's testimony.

Julia Sylvia Stewart of New London was given a divorce from Mr. Stewart of Elizabeth, N. J., and also the custody of her seven year old son. The plaintiff and the defendant were married on December 30, 1905, but he deserted her the next year in February. In the complaint it was also asserted that he had been intolerably cruel to her from the time of their marriage. Mrs. Stewart is at present working in the Brainerd & Armstrong mill to support herself.

One other divorce case on the uncontested list, Walter J. Burlingame vs. Lena F. Burlingame, was postponed.

## RAIN WAS WELCOME.

Help to Fire Fighters and to Tobacco Men.

The long delayed rain Friday was welcomed by nearly everybody and especially the tobacco men of the state. It will add many thousands of dollars to the value of their crop.

There has not been a rain like this one since the middle of August. The fire wardens around the state will also be glad because of the rain, as many of the blackened with smoke and ash from the forest fires which they and volunteer armies of fire fighters have been combating. Everyone hopes for a sufficient rainfall to moisten the parched earth, to soak into the underbrush and day leaves and remove the great danger of forest fires, and to brace up withering vegetation which has drooped not so much because of autumn frosts as because of the drought. And there is also hope that Friday's rain was the forerunner of copious showers that might refreshen

## the dwindling streams and water reservoirs.

## Hartford Boys Coming on Special.

A considerable number of boys from Hartford churches and the Y. M. C. A. and from outside religious institutions in that city will attend the 16th annual conference of older Connecticut boys to be held Oct. 23 and 24 in the Central Baptist church, Norwich. A special train will bring the boys from Hartford and New Britain to Norwich.

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